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For: ALERT APPARATUS FOR USE WITH FASTENERS

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 20, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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